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DIRECTORS: J. M. Berry, J. M. Church, A. B. Conley, R. Smith, L. C. Stanley.

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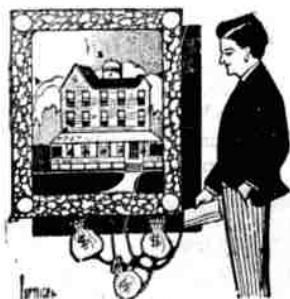
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A FRAME HOUSE with a piazza all the way around is the ideal home of many a family. If you have not yet attained to the ownership of one, it's time you did.

DROP IN our office any time and we will tell you why. Will show you how you can own one even if you have not got much money, will also tell you how to make money by buying in the best locality. We can show you some good plans, too, if you desire to build for yourself.

La Grande Investment Company,  
1110 Adams Avenue, La Grande, Oregon



## REST ROOM OPEN

The House Warming Last Saturday Was A Decided Success--Many Out of Town Visitors

Saturday was the "House Warming" for the Rest Room, instituted by the ladies of this city. The room was opened to the public for the first time and the interest made manifest was certainly encouraging to those who have interested themselves in this work.

Free refreshments were served all day to the visitors from the city and country until 9 o'clock in the evening. Those in charge estimate that no less than 250 called. While everything was free the donations by friends amounted to over \$30. J. M. McCall after spending a few moments was so well impressed with the work that he handed them a check for \$10, equivalent to one month's rent.

Their room is situated in the same building on Fir street occupied by W. S. Wines harness shop. It has been repaired and placed in excellent condition, provided with chairs, tables, couches and toilets. This will certainly be appreciated by the out of town visitors while in the city trading.

Mrs. Hannah Rogers for the present month at least will have personal charge of the room and will be there all the time to look after the wants of the patrons.

## FROM MR. HENSEN.

Editor Evening Observer:

Dear Sir:

Supposing you might be interested in a brief description of the country, country and the products along the way from Portland to Los Angeles. I will try to tell you a little about them.

Many of your readers have enjoyed the pleasure of a ride on the Pacific Ocean and some of them have succeeded in riding a bucking bronco. I have ridden the Missouri mule and believe I prefer it to the others for smoothness.

As Astoria we tied up for about eight hours waiting for more water, the water in the ocean got so low that the steamer could not pass over the bar as we had to wait for a recession of the water.

We left Astoria at noon and crossed the bar about 1:30 p.m. the trip over the bar was a delightful one as far as the weather was concerned. Only one of our party was sick in crossing the bar, but before night many of them were playing hide and seek mostly hide. I was not going to take any part in the fun but was compelled to change my mind, and so "I gave it up" like most of the others except two or three. Only a very few gentlemen were at dinner, the ladies were not hungry.

It was good as a circus to watch the whales and porpoises playing and racing with the steamer. About 5:30 a.m. the third day, we passed through the Golden Gate into San Francisco Bay, when numerous home and foreign vessels were anchored, including one United States battleship, seven found us in comfortable quarters at the Ross House, one of the best hotels in San Francisco, it is run by Mr. Chas. Newman, an ex-railroad man. Here two days were very pleasantly spent in sight seeing, the Chutes, The famous Cliff House, Life Saving Station, and Golden Gate Park, which is to be the finest park on the Pacific coast. It contains some of the rarest tropical plants, flowers, and shrubs. In the museum is a world of fine art and as grand a collection of ancient historical relics, curios &c. as I ever saw. The old fashioned spinning wheel, the flax-stalk the bed that Washington slept in (La your mind) birds of all feathers, animals and fish—galore.

The Cliff House is a very fine wooden building, and cost half a million dollars, but the grandest sight was to look at brown seals that were taking a sun-bath on seal rocks—it is a good real treat to see them.

Coaster at 8 a.m. arrived at Los Angeles at 10:45 p.m.

There is nothing of any particular importance along the line until we reach Santa Barbara except the old mission at San Miguel one of the old landmarks and said to be over one hundred years old, part of the old dome walls are still standing.

Harry Hensen  
(To be continued)

## Notice To Water Consumers

Ordinance No. 238 provides that: The water rates shall be due payable in advance at the office of City Recorder on the first day of each month (except for meters, which are payable on the first day of the succeeding month), and if not paid within the first ten days the water will be shut off the premises, and not turned on until payment is made of amount due with one dollar in addition for the expense of turning water off and on. This rule shall be strictly enforced beginning with the 23rd. of this month.

H. C. Gilman,  
Water Supt.

## Agents Wanted

\$150 and up per month to energetic representatives in every city and town in Oregon, Washington and Idaho. Dignified, honorable, permanent and immensely profitable employment at home or on the road; something new, send stamp or call an office for details. SQUARE DEAL BROKERAGE COMPANY, 159 7th St. Portland, Or.

## Local Markets.

Eggs, fresh valley 15c  
Butter, creamery 65c and first-class dairy 60c per roll.  
Potatoes 65c per sack.  
Apples, 75c to 80c per box.  
Cabbage, 3c per lb.  
Turkeys, 10c to 15c live weight.

CEREALS  
Wheat—74c to 80c per bu.  
Oats—1.10 per cental  
Barley—80c per cental

## Portland Markets.

The steady decline in Eastern and foreign markets has taken the life out of the local wheat market. Buyers and sellers are farther apart than ever and business is at a standstill, with the wheat decidedly weak.

WHEAT—Walla Walla, 75c; blue stem, 82c; Valley, 81c.

BARLEY—Feed, \$22 per ton, brewing, \$24; rolled, \$25.

FLOUR—Valley, \$3.90 and 3.95 per barrel; hard wheat straight, \$3.60 and 3.70; clear, \$3.85 and 4.00; hard wheat patents, \$4.00 and 4.10; Dakota hard wheat, \$5.40 and \$5.50; Graham, \$3.90 whole wheat, \$4; rye flour, \$4.50 and 4.75.

OATS—No. 1 white, \$1.17; gray \$1.10 per cental.

MILLSTUFFS—Bran, \$18 per ton; middlings, \$24; shorts, \$20; chop, U. S. mills, \$16; linseed, dairy food \$19.

HAY—Timothy, \$16 per ton; clover, \$12; grain, \$12; cheat, \$13.

## PRODUCE

Potatoes, 60 to 75 cents per sack.  
Onions—80 cents to \$1.00 per sack.  
Eggs—Oregon, 16¢@17¢, Eastern 20¢@22¢.

Butter—Creamery, 25 and 30c Dairy, 17¢ and 20c, store 08¢@10c lb.  
Poultry—Chickens, mixed 10c per pound, spring, 10c and hens, 10c, turkeys live, 17 and 18¢ dressed 18 and 20c lb., ducks, \$8 and 7¢ per doz. geese, 8c lb.

## LIVESTOCK

Cattle—Best steers \$4.25 and \$4.00, medium, 4.00; cows \$3.35 and \$4.00.  
Hogs—Best large, fat \$5.25; medium large fat 4.75.  
Sheep—Best weathers \$3.50; mixed sheep \$3.

## Dr. P. A. CHARLTON VETERINARY SURGEON,

Office at A. T. Hill's Drug Store, La Grande, Oregon Phone 1361

## Congratulations.

Mr. John H. Cullom, Editor of the Garland, Texas, News, has written a factures congratulations to the manufacturer of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, as follows: "Sixteen years ago when our first child was a baby he was subject to croupy spells and we would be very uneasy about him. We began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in 1887, and finding it such a reliable remedy for colds and croup, we have never been without it in the house since that time. We have five children and have given it to all of them with good results." For Sale by all druggists.

## Water Consumers

Notice is hereby given that all city water consumers, before turning on water for irrigating purposes must call at the Recorder's office, make written application and pay in advance, otherwise the water will be shut off until payment is made of amount due and one dollar in addition for the expense of turning water on and off.

H. C. Gilman, Water Supt.  
5-13-20

## Classified Ads

FOR RENT—Housekeeping rooms at Mrs. Shearer.

FOR SALE—Good gentle work horse weight 1100. Inquire at this office or address La Grande P. O. box 615 4 25tf.

FOR SALE—Two acre block with new 5 room house, barn, out houses, well improved; \$1500, time given on part. This will bear investigation situated on N. Cherry and N. street.  
4-2 tf Fred Waring.

FOR RENT—A block of ground with bearing orchard, garden, small house and barn. Inquire at the office of F. S. Ivanhoe.

FOR SALE—400 cords, 16 inch, yellow pine and fir wood at a bargain. For particulars see S. R. Haworth, 4-27tf Free La Grande Storage Co.

FOR RENT—Bright sunny rooms with or without board, gentlemen preferred. Also rooms for light housekeeping. 220 1/2 Birch St. 5 4 17.

For Sale—Plymouth Rock eggs for setting 50 cents for fifteen Mrs. R. H. Barnard, Phone 505 5-6-19.

FOR RENT—Office rooms for rent. Inquire at Lewis Printing. 4 20tf

WANTED—Plain sewing at corner of Fifth and Depot streets. 5 13 15

FOR SALE—Lumber and shingles for sale 2 blocks north car shops by F. S. Newsome. 5 13 27

FOR SALE—Second hand piano, inquire of Mrs. Ingles, phone No 1727.

FOR SALE—Good family driving horse, carriage and harness for sale. For particulars inquire of A. R. Hunter, Island City.

WANTED—Waiter and Pantry girl at once. Model Restaurant. Much of the land that was over flowed by the recent high water has been reseeded.

WANTED—The Boss Meat Market will pay the highest cash price for chickens and poultry in any quantities.

FOR RENT—3 room house for housekeeping apply to Mrs. S. O. Zuber. 5 11tf

FOR RENT—A 4 room house for rent cheap, near Geddes Bros store. Inquire at Geddes Bros. 5 4tf

FOR SALE—Two heavy work team harness and wagons for sale apply to Grant Keys. Phone No 1713 5 13 19

FURNISHED ROOMS—Parties desiring nicely furnished rooms apply to G. D. Simmons corner 8 and M streets.

## PASTURE

Much more abundant than last year, and open for all kinds of stock during April. Small pastures for stock needed at short notice etc. Apply to 1110, E. St. Old town. P. O. Box 11. Telephone 1278

## All Kinds of Work

Wesley Davis does all kinds of scavenger work, such as cleaning wells, cess pools, etc. Give him a call. 4 24 tf

## Pasture, Wood, Horses, Houses

Good feed and small pastures easily reached \$1.35 for single head per month, rates lower for bunches. Best yellow pine and other wood in any length, work, riding and driving horses for sale. Houses for rent in the best residence area in the community. Apply 1101 B st old town. P. O. Box 341, Phone 1278. 4-6-11

## Fair Rates

The O. R. & N. Co. will sell round trip tickets to St. Louis and return from this city, with stop over privileges both ways for 60¢ tickets only will be on sale three days of each month only as follows, May 11, 12 and 13, June 16, 17 and 18, July 1, 2 and 3, August 8, 9 and 10, Sept 5, 6 and 7, Oct 3, 4 and 5.

NOTICE OF PROPOSED STREET IMPROVEMENT TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given of the proposed improvement of O St., in the city of La Grande, Oregon, by the construction of a seven foot sidewalk along south side of O St., between 4th street and Cedar street, in the said city. Said sidewalk to be constructed by the abutting property owners.

Notice is hereby given, that unless said proposed improvement is defeated by remonstrance signed by the abutting property owners and filed with the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of May A D 1904, said sidewalk will be ordered constructed by the council of the city of La Grande, Oregon.

Dated at La Grande, Oregon this 9th day of May A D 1904.

CHESTER NEWLIN  
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

## Doors and Sash

Send your orders to Stoddards were house for doors and sash. They were bought in large quantities direct from the factory. They are handled cheaply and at prices to defy competition.

## Notice to Contractors

Sealed bids for excavating and building foundation for the new La Grande city hall will be received at the store of W. H. Bohnenkamp chairman of the ways and means committee, up to six o'clock p.m. Saturday May 14th 1904.

This work to be done according to plans and specifications which can be seen at the office of city recorder, J. L. Slater, Architect, or at W. H. Bohnenkamp's store. The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

W. H. Bohnenkamp, A. L. Richardson L. O. Reavis, ways and means committee.

## NOTICE OF PROPOSED STREET IMPROVEMENT

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given of the proposed improvement of Park Street in the city of La Grande, Oregon, by the grading and graveling said Park Street to an established grade between 3rd and 4th streets in said city. Said improvement to be made at the expense of the abutting property owners.

Notice is hereby given, that unless said proposed improvement is defeated by remonstrance signed by the abutting property owners and filed with the undersigned on or before the 23rd day of May A D 1904, said proposed improvement of said Park Street will be ordered by the council of the City of La Grande, Oregon.

Dated at La Grande Oregon this 9th day of May A D 1904.

CHESTER NEWLIN  
Recorder of the City of La Grande, Union County, Oregon.

## Change of Management.

The undersigned has purchased the business known as the Harris Cash Meat Market and will hereafter conduct the same.

We wish to inform the public that we are prepared to furnish all kinds of meats, game and poultry at the very lowest prices consistent with first-class articles.

We have our own delivery and make two trips daily to the Old Town. Highest market price paid for all cattle, hogs and sheep. We solicit a share of your patronage and guarantee the very best satisfaction.

Phone orders receive prompt and careful attention.

Harris meat market across the track. Phone 1601.

TURNER & WALTER

## SCAVENGER

I am now prepared to do all kinds of scavenger work that is generally done by a scavenger, and will call at your place at any time. Call me up on phone No. 1841 or address box 692.

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DEPART	Time Schedule LA GRANDE	FROM
NO. 2 8:00 p. m. NO. 6 8:00 a. m.	Salt Lake, Denver, Ft. Worth, Omaha, Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and East.	NO. 1 6:20 a. m. NO. 5 10:30 p. m.
O. L. 5:50 a. m.	Portland, Dulles, Pen. dleton, Walla Walla, Dayton, Pomona, Colfax, Moscow, Spokane and via Spokane.	NO. 3 9:00 a. m.
NO. 5 9:15 p. m.	Portland, Dulles, Pen. dleton, Walla Walla, Dayton, Pomona, Colfax, Moscow, Spokane and via Spokane.	NO. 4 8:30 a. m.
NO. 3 9:15 a. m.	Portland, Dulles, Pen. dleton, Walla Walla, Dayton, Pomona, Colfax, Moscow, Spokane and via Spokane.	NO. 6 5:30 p. m.

Ocean Steamers between Portland and San Francisco every five days

E. C. MOORE, Agent

## Dissolution

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between E. D. Whiting and C. J. Black has this day, April 18, 1904, been dissolved by mutual consent.

Dated this 18 day of April 1904 at La Grande Oregon.

C. J. Black,  
E. D. Whiting,  
April 17—May 17.

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Mrs. Day, Assistant

## STALLION NOTICE

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Portland, Oregon

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## Geddes Bros.

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THE FAMOUS LITTLE PILLS.

For quick relief from Biliousness, Sick Headache, Torpid Liver, Jaundice, Dizziness, and all troubles arising from an inactive or sluggish liver. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are unequalled. They act promptly and never gripe. They are so dainty that it is a pleasure to take them. One to two act as a mild laxative; two or four act as a pleasant and effective cathartic. They are purely vegetable and absolutely harmless. They taste like candy.

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